FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ST. MARTIN PARISH HOSPITAL SERVICE DISTRICT NO. 2

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Commissioners St. Martin Parish Hospital Service District No. 2 Breaux Bridge, Louisiana

We have audited the financial statements of St. Martin Parish Hospital Service District No. 2 (the District), a component unit of the St. Martin Parish Government, State of Louisiana, as of September 30, 2010 and 2009, and the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards of the United States and Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the component unit financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the St. Martin Parish Hospital Service District No. 2, a component unit of the St. Martin Parish Government, State of Louisiana, at September 30, 2010 and 2009, and the respective changes in financial position, and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated March 9, 2011, on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements taken as a whole. The supplementary information included in Schedules 1 through 4 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

St. Martin Parish Hospital District No. 2 has not presented Management's Discussion and Analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States has determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be part of, the basic financial statements.

LANGLINAIS BROWSSARD & KOHLENDERG

(A corporation of Certified Public Accountants)

March 9, 2011

STATEMENT A

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS		SEPTEMBER 30,
ASSETS	2010	2009
CURRENT ASSETS	•	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,018,588	\$ 2,035,121
Certificate of Deposit	396,537	392,465
Prepaid expenses	10,292	22,111
Total Current Assets	2,425,417	2,449,697
ASSETS WHOSE USE IS LIMITED	•	
For bond indenture		
Cash	351,973	512,029
Escrow for lease agreement		
Cash	11,967	250,000
Total assets whose use is limited	363,940	762,029
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		
Property, Plant and Equipment, cost	4,948,072	4,855,250
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(2,977,084)	(2,802,270)
Total Property and Equipment	1,970,988	2,052,980
DEFERRED FINANCING COSTS, NET	45,405	53,787
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ <u>4,805,750</u>	\$ 5,318,493

STATEMENT A

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS			EPTEMBER 30
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	2010		2009
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Current portion of long-term debt	\$ 193,000	\$	185,000
Accounts payable	4,220		103,376
Property taxes paid under protest	4,263		4,263
Interest payable	4,713		5,246
Due to Lessee	 _	-:	112,579
Total Current Liabilities	 206,196		410,464
LONG-TERM LIABILITIES			
Long-Term Debt			
General Obligation issue 2008	533,000		596,000
General Obligation issue 2004	 760,000		890,000
Total Long-Term Liabilities	 1,293,000		1,486,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,499,196		1,896,464
NET ASSETS			
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	1,374,988		1,396,980
Restricted Net Assets (Expendable)	363,940		762,029
Unrestricted Net Assets	1,567,626		1,263,020
TOTAL NET ASSETS	 3,306,554		3,422,029
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 4,805,750	\$	5,318,493

STATEMENT B

STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN N	ET ASSETS	SEPTEMBER 30,
	2010	2009
OPERATING REVENUES:		
Net Patient Service Revenues	\$	- \$ 7,762,096
Lease Income	286,09	47,667
Other Operating Revenue	`	- 55,114
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	286,09	7,864,877
OPERATING EXPENSES:		
Professional Services		- 5,196,792
General and Administrative	69,80	2,453,331
Depreciation and Amortization	243,42	255,744
Recoupment of Prior Year Cost Report	43,85	
Provision for Doubtful Accounts	·	- 1 <u>,334</u> ,281
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	357,08	9,240,148
INCOME (LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS	(70,99	(1,375,271)
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):		
Income from assets whose use is limited:		
For bond indenture	24	3,390
Advalorem Taxes	2,68	608,851
Loss on the Disposal of Fixed Assets	(4,55	(23,413)
Interest Income	14,90	23,776
Interest Expense	(57,76	(50,458)
TOTAL NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)	(44,48	562,146
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY ITEM	(115,47	(813,125)
EXTRAORDINARY ITEM:		
Loss on Discontinued Operations		- (1,466,890)
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS AFTER EXTRAORDINARY ITEM	(115,47	75) (2,280,015)
TOTAL NET ASSETS, BEGINNING	3,422,02	5,702,044
TOTAL NET ASSETS, ENDING	\$ 3,306,55	54 \$ 3,4 <u>2</u> 2,029

STATEMENT C

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS		SEPTEMBER 30,
·	2010	2009
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Cash received from patients	\$ - \$	10,024,965
Cash received from lease	286,092	4 7,66 7
Cash received from other operating sources	-	55,114
Cash payments to suppliers for goods and services	(309,555)	(5,833,591)
Cash payments to employees for services	-	(3,332,413)
Net Cash Flow from Operating Activities	(23,463)	961,742
CASH FLOWS FROM NON CAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Ad valorem taxes	2,680	608,851
Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities	2,680	608,851
CASH FLOW FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES:		
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	(167,432)	(847,954)
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets	9,829	2,301
Loss on Disposal of Assets	(4,551)	(23,413)
Principal payments on long-term debt	(185,000)	(164,000)
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Capital and Related		•
Financial Activities	(347,154)	(1,033,066)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Purchases of Investments	(4,072)	(9,782)
Interest and dividends on assets whose use is limited	248	3,390
Interest income	14,906	23,776
Interest expense	(57,767)	(50,458)
Net Cash Provided by Investing Activities	(46,685)	(33,074)
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY ITEM	(414,622)	504,453
LOSS ON DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS		(1,466,890)
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
AFTER EXTRAORDINARY ITEM	. (414,622)	(962,437)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS BEGINNING OF YEAR, INCLUDING \$762,029		
AND \$965,067 LIMITED AS TO USE FOR 2010 AND 2009, RESPECTIVELY	2,797,150	3,759,587
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR, INCLUDING \$363,940		
AND \$762,029 LIMITED AS TO USE FOR 2010 AND 2009, RESPECTIVELY	\$ 2,382,528 \$	2,797,150

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STATEMENT C

SEPTEMBER 30,

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STATEMENT	JF CASH	FLOWS

		2010	2009
CASE FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:			
Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(70,991) \$	(1,375,271)
Adjustments to reconcile operating income to net cash			
provided by operating activities:			
Depreciation		235,044	247,362
Amortization of bond issue cost .		8,382	8,382
Provision for doubtful accounts		-	1,334,281
Loss on disposal of fixed assets		4,551	23,413
Decrease in receivables and due from third parties		-	1,501,539
Decrease (Increase) in inventories and prepaid expenses		11,819	(22,328)
Decrease in accounts payable and accrued expenses		(99,689)	(411,199)
Increase in protested tax liability		-	1,121
Decrease in deferred revenue		-	(458,137)
Increase (Decrease) in due to lessee		(112,579)	112,579
NET CASH DECUTION BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	¢	(23 463) \$	961 742

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 1: DESCRIPTION OF REPORTING ENTITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Reporting Entity:

Hospital Service District No. 2 (the Hospital Service District) was created in October 1969 by the Parish Government of St. Martin Parish, Louisiana to operate, control, and manage matters concerning the parish's health care functions. The Parish Government appoints the Board of Commissioners of the Hospital Service District, and the Hospital Service District may not issue debt without the Parish's approval. For this reason, the Hospital Service District is considered to be a component unit of the St. Martin Parish Government, St. Martin Parish, Louisiana.

Basis of Accounting:

The accompanying financial statements of the Hospital Service District have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) in the United States of America as applicable to governmental entities. In June 1999, the GASB unanimously approved Statement No. 34, Basic Financial Statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis for State and Local Governments. GASB 34 established standards for external financial reporting for all state and local governmental entities, which included a balance sheet or statement of net assets, a statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in net assets, and a statement of cash flows utilizing the direct method of presentation. During fiscal year 2003, the Hospital Service District implemented GASB Statement No. 34, as amended by GASB Statement No. 37 and No. 38, and applied those standards on a retroactive basis.

GASB Statement No. 34 establishes standards for state and local governments and requires that resources be classified for accounting and reporting purposes into the following three net asset categories:

Invested in capital assets, net of related debt consist of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by outstanding balances for bonds, note, and other debt that are attributed to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.

Restricted net assets result when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributions, and the like, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net assets consist of net assets which do not meet the definition of the two preceding categories.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 1: DESCRIPTION OF REPORTING ENTITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont)

Proprietary fund accounting:

The Hospital Service District utilizes the proprietary fund method of accounting. Revenues and expenses are recognized on the accrual basis using the economic resources measurement focus. Pursuant to Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 20, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Proprietary Funds and Other Governmental Entities That Use Proprietary Fund Accounting, the Hospital Service District has elected to apply the provisions of all relevant pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB), including those issued after November 30, 1989, that do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements.

Use of estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Cash and cash equivalents:

Cash includes amounts in demand deposits, interest-bearing demand deposits, and time deposits. Cash equivalents include amounts in time deposits and those investments with original maturities of ninety days or less. Under state law, the Hospital Service District may deposit funds in demand deposits, interest-bearing demand deposits, or time deposits with state banks organized under Louisiana law or any other state of the United States, or under the laws of the United States.

Investments in debt and equity securities:

Investments in debt and equity securities are carried at fair value except for investments in debt securities with maturities of less than one year at the time of purchase. These investments are reported at amortized cost, which approximates fair value. Interest, dividends, and gains and losses, both realized and unrealized, on investments in debt and equity securities are included in non-operating income when earned.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 1: DESCRIPTION OF REPORTING ENTITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont)

Trade Receivables and allowance for doubtful accounts:

Trade receivables are carried at the original billed amount less an estimate made for doubtful (uncollectible) accounts based on a review of all outstanding amounts. Management determines the allowance for doubtful accounts by identifying troubled accounts and by using historical experience applied to an aging of accounts. To the extent management's estimate differs from actual results, the differences will be used to adjust income in the period when such differences arise. Trade receivables are written-off when deemed uncollectible. Recoveries of trade receivables previously written-off are recorded when received.

Property, Plant and Equipment:

Property, plant and equipment acquisitions are recorded at cost. Depreciation is provided over the estimated useful life of each class of depreciable asset and is computed using the straight-line method. Equipment under capital lease obligations is amortized on the straight-line method over the shorter period of the lease term or the estimated useful life of the equipment. Such amortization is included in depreciation and amortization expense in the financial statements. Interest cost incurred on borrowed funds during the period of construction of capital assets is capitalized as a component of the cost of acquiring those assets. The following estimated useful lives are generally used:

Land improvements	5 -	25 years
Building	10 -	40 years
Building improvements	10 -	40 years
Fixed equipment	5 -	25 years
Movable equipment	5	25 years

Gifts of long-lived assets such as land, buildings, or equipment are reported as unrestricted support, and are excluded from the excess of revenues over expenses, unless explicit donor stipulations specify how the donated assets must be used. Gifts of long-lived assets with explicit restrictions that specify how the assets are to be used and gifts of cash or other assets that must be used to acquire long-lived assets are reported as restricted support. Absent explicit donor stipulations about how long those long-lived assets must be maintained, expirations of donor restrictions are reported when the donated or acquired long-lived assets are placed in service.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 1: DESCRIPTION OF REPORTING ENTITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CORE)

Grants and Donations:

Revenues from grants and donations are recognized when all eligibility requirements, including time requirements, are met. Grants and donations may be restricted for either specific operating purposes or for capital purposes (see PP&E above). Amounts that are unrestricted or that are restricted to a specific operating purpose are reported as operating revenues.

Costs of borrowing:

Expenses related to issuance of advance refunding bonds are deferred and amortized over the life of the old debt or the new debt, whichever is shorter.

Advalorem Taxes:

The Hospital Service District received approximately 0.9 percent and 7.1 percent of its financial support from ad valorem taxes in 2010 and 2009, respectively. Current taxes are received beginning in October of each year and become delinquent after January 31, of the following year. Pursuant to the election held on October 4, 2008, which resulted in the lease of assets, the Hospital Service District's millage was cancelled and the Hospital Service District did not appear on the 2009 tax roll of St. Martin Parish. Taxes collected after 2009 are related to taxes collected for periods before 2009.

Risk Management:

The Hospital Service District is exposed to various risks of loss from torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; business interruption; employee injuries and illnesses; errors and omissions; natural disasters and employee health, dental, and accident benefits. Commercial insurance coverage is purchased for claims arising from such matters.

Net patient service revenue:

The Hospital Service District has agreements with third-party payors that provide payments to the Hospital Service District at amounts different from its established rates. Payment arrangements include prospectively determined rates per discharge, reimbursed costs, discounted charges, and per diem payments. Net patient service revenue is reported at the estimated net realizable amounts from patients, third-party payors, and others for services rendered, including estimated retroactive adjustments under reimbursement agreements with third-party payors. Retroactive adjustments are accrued on an estimated basis in the period the related services are rendered and adjusted in future periods as final settlements are determined.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 1: DESCRIPTION OF REPORTING ENTITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont)

Restricted Assets:

When the Hospital Service District has both restricted and unrestricted resources available to finance a particular program, it is the Hospital Service District's policy to use restricted resources before unrestricted resources.

Operating Revenues:

The Hospital Service District's Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets distinguishes between operating and non-operating revenues. Operating revenues include all transactions associated with providing health care services, as well as cafeteria and vendor sales, operational grants, medical record income, lease payments and other miscellaneous revenues. Non-operating revenues include revenues such as taxes, interest, and gains or losses on disposals of assets. Operating expenses are all expenses incurred to provide health care services and administer the lease agreement, other than financing costs.

Advertising:

The Hospital Service District expenses advertising costs as incurred.

Reclassifications:

To be consistent with current year classifications, some items from the previous year have been reclassified with no effect on net assets.

New Accounting Pronouncements:

FASB issued Statement No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements". This statement defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. This statement applies to other accounting pronouncements that require or permit fair value measurements. This statement is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 2: MAJOR SOURCE OF REVENUE

The Hospital Service District participates in the Medicare and Medicaid programs as a provider of medical services to program beneficiaries. The Hospital Service District derived approximately 63% of its gross patient service revenue in 2009 from patients covered by the Medicare and Medicaid programs. Laws and regulations governing the Medicare and Medicaid programs are extremely complex and subject to interpretation. As a result, there is at least a reasonable possibility that recorded estimates may change by a material amount in the near term. Included in net patient service revenues for 2009 is additional reimbursement for Medicaid Uncompensated Care Adjustments of \$269,875. The hospital district did not participate in the Medicare and Medicaid programs during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2010 due to its change in operations from health care provider to lessor.

NOTE 3: NET PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE

The Hospital Service District has agreements with third-party payors that provide for payments to the Hospital Service District at amounts different from its established rates. A summary of the payment arrangements with major third-party payors follows.

Medicare Inpatient services, certain outpatient services, and defined capital and medical education costs related to Medicare beneficiaries are paid based on a cost reimbursement methodology. The Hospital Service District is reimbursed for cost reimbursable items at a tentative rate with final settlement determined after submission of annual cost reports by the Hospital Service District and audits thereof by the Medicare fiscal intermediary. The Hospital Service District's Medicare cost reports have been audited by the Medicare fiscal intermediary through September 30, 2008.

Medicaid Medicaid inpatients are reimbursed a fixed rate per day for med/surg and psychiatric patients. Outpatient services rendered to Medicaid program beneficiaries are reimbursed under a cost reimbursement methodology, with certain limitations and exceptions. The Hospital Service District is reimbursed at a tentative rate with final settlement determined after submission of annual cost reports filed by the Hospital Service District and audits thereof by the Medicaid fiscal intermediary. The Hospital Service District's Medicaid cost reports have been audited by the Medicaid fiscal intermediary through September 30, 2007.

The Hospital Service District has also entered into payment agreements with certain commercial insurance carriers, and preferred provider organizations. The basis for payment to the Hospital Service District under some of these agreements includes prospectively determined daily rates.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 3: NET PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE (cont)

Net patient service revenues for the year ended September 30, is as follows:

	2010	2009
Gross Patient Service Revenue Less: Contractual Adjustments	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 8,946,634 (1,454,413)
Net Patient Service Revenue before Uncompensated Care Revenue	-	7,492,221
Add: Uncompensated Care Revenue	· <u> </u>	269,875
Net Patient Service Revenue	\$	<u>\$ 7,762,096</u>

The hospital service district did not generate patient service revenue during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2010, due to its discontinuance of patient related operations at the inception of the lease dated July 31, 2009.

NOTE 4: PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Property, plant and equipment, by major category, is as follows at September 30,:

•	9/30/2009	ADDITIONS	DEDUCTIONS	9/30/2010
Land	\$ 24,726	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 24,726
Land improvements	189,964	1,455	-	191,419
Building	400,440	443,536	-	843,976
Building improvements	2,260,523	_	-	2,260,523
Fixed equipment	1,234,554	2,962	(65,398)	1,172,118
Movable equipment	464,523		(9,213)	455,310
Gross Fixed Assets	4,574,730	447,953	(74,611)	4,948,072
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(<u>2,802,270</u>)	<u>(235,043</u>)	60,229	(<u>2,977,084</u>)
	1,772,460	.212,910	(14,382)	1,970,988
Construction in Progress	<u>280,520</u>	<u>163.016</u>	<u>(443,536</u>)	
Net Property, Plant and Equipment	\$ <u>2,052,980</u>	<u>\$ 375,926</u>	\$ <u>(457,918)</u>	\$1,970,988

Depreciation expense for the years ended September 30, 2010 and 2009 is \$235,044 and \$247,362, respectively.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS	SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009
NOTE 5: LONG-TERM DEBT	
Long-term debt at September 30, consisted of the	following:
	20102009
•	
General obligation bonds, dated November 1, 2004 bearing interest rates ranging from 1.86% to 4.28%, maturing serially on March 1 of each beginning in 2005, with interest payable on March 1 and September 1 of each year, with the final maturity on March 1, 2016.	year \$ 890,000 \$ 1,015,000
General obligation bonds, dated March 26, 2008 bearing an interest rate of 3.44%, maturing serially on March 1 of each year beginning in 2009, with interest payable on March 1 and September 1 of each year, with the final maturity on March 1, 2018. The funds to be used for capital outlay.	<u>596,000</u> <u>656,000</u>
Less: Current Portion	1,486,000 1,671,000 193,000 185,000
Long-Term Portion	<u>\$ 1,293,000</u> <u>\$ 1,486,000</u>
A summary of long-term debt activity for the year	ended is as follows:
General Obligation 2004 \$1,015,000 \$ - \$ General Obligation 2008 656,000 -	Ending Due Within Balance One Year 125,000 \$ 890,000 \$ 130,000 60,000 596,000 63,000 185,000 \$1,486,000 \$ 193,000
Scheduled repayments on long-term debt are as followed	lows:
2012 206 2013 214 2014 222 2015 236	Cipal Interest Total 3,000 \$ 53,081 \$ 246,081 5,000 45,755 251,755 4,000 37,809 251,809 2,000 29,372 251,372 5,000 20,345 256,345 5,000 16,741 431,741

\$1,486,000

\$ 203,103

\$ 1,689,103

Total

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 5: LONG-TERM DEBT (cont)

Under the terms of the Note Indentures, the Hospital Service District is required to maintain certain deposits with a trustee. Such deposits are included with assets limited as to use (See Note 10) in the financial statements.

NOTE 6: CASH FLOWS SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Total cash and cash equivalents for September 30, are as follows:

	_	2010	-	2009
Cash and cash equivalents Assets whose use is limited - Cash		2,018,588 363,940		• •
Ending Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	2,382,528	\$_	2,797,150

Total interest paid by the Hospital Service District was \$59,757 and \$76,069, for 2010 and 2009, respectively. Total interest capitalized as component of the cost of assets constructed with borrowed funds was \$1,457 and \$23,426 for the years ended September 30, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

NOTE 7: CONCENTRATIONS OF CREDIT RISK

The hospital service district depends solely on the lease revenue derived from its lease with St. Martin Hospital, Inc. for operational revenue.

NOTE 8: FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The following methods and assumptions were used by the Hospital Service District in estimating the fair value of its financial instruments:

Cash and cash equivalents: The carrying amount reported in the balance sheet for cash and cash equivalents approximates its fair value.

Investments: Fair values, which are the amounts reported in the balance sheet, are based on quoted market prices for similar securities.

Assets limited as to use: These assets consist primarily of cash, short-term investments and interest receivable. The carrying amount reported in the balance sheet is fair value.

Accounts payable and accrued expenses: The carrying amount reported in the balance sheet for accounts payable and accrued expenses approximates its fair value.

Estimated third-party payor settlements: The carrying amount reported in the balance sheet for estimated third-party payor settlements approximates its fair value.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 8: FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (cont)

Long-term debt: Fair values of the Hospital Service District's revenue notes are based on current traded value. The fair value of the Hospital Service District's remaining long-term debt is estimated using discounted cash flow analyses, based on the Hospital Service District's current incremental borrowing rates for similar types of borrowing arrangements.

The carrying amounts and fair values of the Hospital Service District's financial instruments at September 30, are as follows:

		20	10			2009		
		Carrying			(Carrying		
	_	Amount		<u>Fair Value</u>		Amount	F	<u>air Value</u>
Cash and cash								
equivalents	\$	2,018,588	\$	2,018,588	\$	2,035,121	\$	2,035,121
Certificate of deposit	\$	396,537	\$	396,537	\$	392,465	\$	392,465
Assets limited as to use	\$	363,940	\$	363,940	\$	762,029	\$	762,029
Accounts payable and								
accrued expenses	\$	8,933	\$	8,933	\$	108,622	\$	108,622
Due to Lessee	\$	_	\$	-	\$	112,579	\$	112,579
Long-term debt	\$	1,486,000	\$	1,486,000	\$	1,671,000	\$	1,671,000

NOTE 9: BANK DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

State statutes authorize the Hospital Service District to invest in obligations of the U.S. Treasury, certificates or other obligations of the United States of America, and time certificates of deposit of state banks organized under the laws of Louisiana and national banks having the principal office in the State of Louisiana.

At September 30, the Hospital Service District had bank balances as follows:

	2010	2009
Insured (FDIC) Collateralized by securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department	\$ 750,000	\$ 750,000
in the Hospital Service District's name Total	2,928,592 \$3,678,592	4,001,463 \$4,751,463
Carrying Value	\$2,779,728	\$3,234,917

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 9: BANK DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (cont)

Investments consist of certificates of deposit with financial institutions. The fair value for these investments is not materially different from its reported amounts. In accordance with SFAS No. 157, the Hospital Service District groups assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value in three levels, based on the markets in which the assets and liabilities are traded and the reliability of the assumptions used to determine fair value. These levels are:

- <u>Level 1</u> Valuations for assets and liabilities traded in active exchange markets, such as the New York Stock Exchange. Level 1 also includes securities that are traded by dealers or brokers in active markets. Valuations are obtained from readily available pricing sources for market transactions involving identical assets or liabilities.
- <u>Level 2</u> Valuations for assets and liabilities traded in less active dealer or broker markets. For example, municipal securities valuations are based on markets that are currently offering similar financial products. Valuations are obtained from third party pricing services for identical or comparable assets or liabilities.
- <u>Level 3</u> Valuations for assets and liabilities that are derived from other valuation methodologies, including option pricing models, discounted cash flow models, and similar techniques, and not based on market exchange, dealer or broker traded transactions. Level 3 valuations incorporate certain assumptions and projections in determining the fair value assigned to such assets or liabilities.

Below is a table that presents information about certain assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

·	<u>Fair Value</u>	Quoted Prices In Active Markets For Identical Assets/Liabilities Level 1	Significant Other Observable Inputs Level 2	Significant Unobservable Inputs Level 3
Certificate of Deposit	\$ 396,537	\$ 396,537	<u>\$</u>	\$ -

NOTE 10: ASSETS LIMITED AS TO USE

The series 2008 bond agreement (certificates of indebtedness) requires that a sinking fund be established and maintained with the regularly designated fiscal agent bank of the issuer. The issuer shall deposit in the sinking fund from the first revenues of the tax received in any calendar year, a sum equal to the principal and/or interest falling due on the certificates in that calendar year, together with such additional proportionate sum as may be required to pay said principal and interest as the same become due and any amount required to pay the charges of the paying agent.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 10: ASSETS LIMITED AS TO USE (cont)

Pursuant to the lease agreement with St. Martin Hospital, Inc., a Louisiana non-profit corporation that is a wholly owned subsidiary of Lafayette General Medical Center, a Louisiana not-for-profit corporation, effective July 31, 2009; the Hospital Service District is "obligated to place in escrow \$250,000 for five years after the commencement date of the lease in the event to settle any Medicare, Medicaid, or other third party overpayments associated with the District's operation of the Hospital prior to the commencement date. The escrowed funds shall remain the property of the District and shall be remitted to the District after a period of five years assuming funds remain following the settlement of all open cost reports associated with the District's operation of the hospital prior to the commencement date". During the fiscal year ended September 30, 2010, the District paid recoupments of third party payor settlements in the amount of \$238,033, reducing the escrow balance to \$11,967.

Assets limited as to use that are required for obligations classified as current liabilities are reported in current assets. The composition of assets limited as to use at September 30, is set forth in the following table.

	2010	2009
Under Indenture Agreement	\$ 351,973	\$ 512,029
Lease Escrow	11,967	250,000
Total	<u>\$ 363,940</u>	<u>\$ 762,029</u>

The above totals also represent the balance in restricted net assets.

Investment income and gains on assets limited as to use, cash equivalents, and other investments are comprised of the following for the years ending September 30:

Income:			 2010		2009
Interest	income		\$ 248	. <u>\$</u>	3,390
			\$ 248	\$	3,390

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SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 11: TAXES PAID UNDER PROTEST

Act No. 1149 of the Regular Session 2001 Amended La. R.S. 47:1856(E) to provide as follows: Any company instituting suit under these provisions [La. R.S. 47:1856] shall timely pay in full its taxes in the jurisdiction from which its tax bill emanates. Any funds received as payment of taxes under the provisions of this subsection shall be used only for non-recurring expenses except for any such funds pledged as security for any bonds or other evidences of indebtedness and for any such funds when the proposition approving the millage provides specifically for another intended purpose. The governing authority of any jurisdiction shall not use any such funds for nonrecurring expenses in a manner which will displace, replace or supplant funds which were otherwise available for such nonrecurring expenses.

Further, La. R.S. 47:1856(F)(1)(a)(I) provides that if the assessed valuation finally determined by the Court is less than the amount determined by the Louisiana Tax Commission, the protesting public service company is entitled to a credit against future property taxes in each jurisdiction affected, or refund in cash from each jurisdiction affected. If the company chooses a refund, a refund is required to be paid by the Tax Collector of each affected jurisdiction from current tax collections and in no event will the refund be paid later than 90 days from the date in which the judgment is entered and becomes final, and interest shall be credited thereon at the minimum rate as provided by La. R.S. 39:1217.1 Taxes paid under protest at September 30, 2010 and 2009 were \$4,263.

NOTE 12: BOND DEFEASANCE

On November 1, 2004, the Hospital Service District issued \$1,370,000 in General Obligation Bonds with interest rates ranging from 1.86% to 4.28% to refinance \$1,520,000 of outstanding 1996 General Obligation Bonds with interest rates ranging from 5.35% to 8.0%. The net proceeds of \$1,370,000 plus an additional \$250,000 was used to purchase U.S. government securities. Those securities were deposited in an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide for future debt service payments on the 1996 General Obligation Bonds which mature after March 1, 2006.

Although the refinancing resulted in the recognition of an accounting loss of \$95,000 for the year ended September 30, 2005, the Hospital Service District, in effect, reduced its aggregate debt service payments by almost \$121,677 over the next 10 years and obtained an economic gain (difference between the present value of the debt service payments on the old and new debt) of almost \$57,822. The effective interest rate on the new issue is 3.2%. The accounting loss of \$95,000 is being amortized over 136 months ending March 1, 2016.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 13: LEASE

An election was held in Hospital Service District No. 2 of the Parish of St. Martin, Louisiana, on October 4, 2008, the results of which authorized the lease of all of the assets of Hospital Service District No. 2 of the Parish of St. Martin for fair market value to Lafayette General Medical Center ("LGMC"), a non-profit corporation.

The lease was executed on July 31, 2009 between St. Martin Parish Hospital Service District No. 2 (lessor) and St. Martin Hospital, Inc., a Louisiana non-profit corporation that is a wholly owned subsidiary of Lafayette General Medical Center, a Louisiana not-for-profit corporation (lessee). The lease includes the hospital building located at 210 Champagne Boulevard, Breaux Bridge, Louisiana, 70517. The lease includes all land, buildings, furniture, fixtures, improvements, inventory, supplies and equipment represented on the Statement of Net Assets, with a net book value of \$1,970,988 and \$2,052,980 for the years ended September 30, 2010 and 2009, respectively, which are also described in Note 4 above.

The initial term of the lease is twenty-five years commencing August 1, 2009. The initial term shall renew for a period of twenty-four years, unless lessee transmits a notice of termination to lessor at least ninety days before the expiration of the initial term. The lease is considered an operating lease by St. Martin Parish Hospital District No. 2. After the fifth lease year, the lessee may terminate the lease in the event of "a legislative or regulatory change or determination...that would have a material impact on the lessee's operation of the hospital...or the Hospital loses its Critical Access Hospital status".

Rent in the amount of \$23,833 is to be paid monthly for the full initial term. The lease states that "the lessee is responsible for payment of all costs of operation and maintenance of the premises. The lessor shall not be liable for any damage to property in, on, upon or near the premises caused by any event whatsoever...except to the extent that the damage was a result from the intentional or negligent act of the lessor, or the lessor's agent or employees. The lessor shall not be liable for any damage to persons or property sustained by the lessee or others due to the happening of any accident in or about the premises, or due to any negligence of the lessee or any permitted tenant or occupant of the premises, or any other person, except to the extent that the damage was a result from the intentional or negligent act of the lessor, or the lessor's agent or employees....Lessor shall maintain building property and casualty insurance covering the premises...for an amount not less that the full replacement cost of the premises".

Lease revenues recognized for the years ended September 30, 2010 and 2009 are \$286,092 and \$47,667, respectively.

The lease agreement specifies that the lessee has "assumed liabilities" which consist of ordinary trade payables incurred prior to the commencement date. The assumed liabilities due from the lessee were \$81,603 at September 30, 2009.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

NOTE 13: LEASE (cont)

The amount due to lessee at September 30, 2009 was as follows:

Due to lessee for prior year third party settlements

\$194,182

Due from lessee for assumed liabilities

<u>(81,603</u>)

Total Due to Lessee

\$112,579

The total amount due to lessee was liquidated as of September 30, 2010.

NOTE 14: LOSS ON DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS/EXTRAORDINARY ITEM

As a result of the lease agreement with St. Martin Hospital, Inc., a Louisiana non-profit corporation that is a wholly owned subsidiary of Lafayette General Medical Center, a Louisiana not-for-profit corporation, executed on July 31, 2009; the Hospital Service District incurred a loss on discontinued operations of \$1,466,890. All patient revenues and other operating revenues other than the lease income of \$47,667 resulted from the discontinued operation for the year ended September 30, 2009. This event is considered by management to be both unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence, therefore it is defined as an extraordinary item.

NOTE 15: BOARD COMPENSATION

The board of commissioners did not receive any compensation for the years ended September 30, 2010 and 2009.

NOTE 16: COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

On December 28, 2009, the State of Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals withheld \$194,182 (for the years ended 2005 and 2006) from the 2010 Uncompensated Care Payment. On March 5, 2010, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) recouped \$43,851 in an adjustment to the Medicare cost report filed for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2008. The lessee, St. Martin Hospital, Inc., requested reimbursement for these amounts from the St. Martin Parish Hospital District No. 2 pursuant to the lease contract that stipulates that the District is "obligatedto settle any Medicare, Medicaid, or other third party overpayments associated with the District's operation of the Hospital prior to the commencement date". The District paid both of these obligations during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2010. It is unknown what amount of future liability the District may owe contingent upon these lease terms.

On September 15, 2010, the board of commissioners of St. Martin Parish Hospital Service District No. 2 approved a resolution to pay \$100,000 toward the renovation of the surgery and pharmacy areas of the hospital building. As of the date of the report, the district had not made such payment.

	•	2	010	2009
INPATIENT SERVICE REVENUES				,
Daily Patient Services:				
Room and Board		\$	- \$	725,692
Total				725,692
Other Nursing Services:				
Central supplies			-	117,900
Emergency service				4,484
Total				122,384
Other Professional Services:				
Laboratory			-	169,079
Blood			-	12,628
Radiology			-	37,402
Scans and Ultrasounds			_	21,638
Pharmacy			-	487,408
Inhalation therapy	r		_ -	262,558
Physical therapy			_	89,543
Occupational therapy	•		_	112,046
Speech therapy		·		24,132
		<u> </u>	_	1,216,434
TOTAL INPATIENT SERVICE REVENUE			<u> </u>	2,064,510

SCHEDULES OF PATIENT SERVICE REVENUES			SEPTEMBER 3
	2010		2009
OUTPATIENT SERVICE REVENUES			
Daily Patient Services:			
Room and Board			46,304
Total			46,304
Other Nursing Services:			•
Central supplies		-	243,906
Emergency service		-	2,334,074
Total			2,577,980
Other Professional Services:			
Laboratory		_	2,363,114
Blood		-	9,450
Radiology		-	615,123
Scans and Ultrasounds		-	214,179
Pharmacy		-	384,743
Inhalation therapy		-	148,898
Physical therapy		_	282,422
Occupational therapy		_	115,296
Speech therapy			124,615
		-	4,257,840
TOTAL OUPATIENT SERVICE REVENUE			6,882,124
GROSS PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE		-	8,946,634
Less: Contractual Adjustments		<u>-</u>	1,454,413
Wet Patient Service Revenue before			
Medicaid Uncompensated Care		-	7,492,221
Medicaid Uncompensated Care			269,875
NET PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE	\$	- \$	7,762,096

SCHEDULE OF OTHER OPERATING REVENUE			SEPTEMBER 30,
·		2010	2009
Cafeteria and vendor sales	\$	· - \$	4,777
Grant revenue		-	21,823
Medical records		-	7,955
Housekeeping Revenue	•	-	17,001
Other		<u> </u>	3,558
	\$	- \$	55,114

SCHEDULES OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES			SEPTEMBER
	20:	10	2009
Calaries and Fees:			
Nursing	\$	- \$	1,192,225
Rehab Unit		_	309,176
Operating room		-	1,458
Emergency room		_	1,353,618
Laboratory		-	729,777
Radiology		-	192,844
Pharmacy		-	. 70,283
Inhalation therapy			289,455
Total Salaries and Fees			4,138,836
supplies and Other Expenses:			
Nursing		-	4,476
Emergency room		-	11,344
Laboratory		_	276,796
Radiology		-	273,038
Pharmacy		· -	195,341
Inhalation therapy		_	23,726
Central supply	,	~	229,211
Blood		-	25,064
Transportation		-	15,000
Other			3,960
Total Supplies and Other Expenses			1,057,956
Total Professional Services	\$	- \$	5,196,792

SCHEDULES OF GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE			SEPTEMBER
		2010	2009
Salaries and Fees:		, , ,	
Administrative	\$	430 \$	599,760
Maintenance	•	<u>-</u>	137,291
Housekeeping		-	174,906
Medical Records		-	78,475
Dietary		_	154,101
Total Salaries and Fees		430	1,144,533
Supplies and Other Expenses:			
Administrative		748	157,512
Maintenance		• -	84,280
Housekeeping		-	. 47,169
Medical Records		-	13,526
Dietary		-	100,710
Insurance		50,567	317,259
Payroll Taxes		- •	235,883
Fees		250	31,383
Telephone and Utilties		-	160,357
Other		17,811	160,719
Total Supplies and Other Expenses		69,376	1,308,798
Total General and Administrative Service	es \$	69,806 \$	2,453,331





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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Board of Commissioners St. Martin Parish Hospital Service District No. 2 Breaux Bridge, Louisiana

We have audited the financial statements of St. Martin Parish Hospital Service District No. 2 (The District), a component unit of the St. Martin Parish Government, State of Louisiana, as of and for the years ended September 30, 2010 and 2009, and have issued our report thereon dated March 9, 2011.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards of the United States and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of the district as of and for the year ended September 30, 2010 and 2009, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses and therefore there can be no assurance that all such deficiencies have been identified. However, as discussed below, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses and other deficiencies that we consider to be significant deficiencies.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. We consider all deficiencies described in the accompanying "Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs and Management's Corrective Action Plan" to be material weaknesses.

A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance. We consider all deficiencies described in the accompanying "Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs and Management's Corrective Action Plan" to be significant deficiencies.

COMPLIANCE

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

The district's responses to the findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs and Management's Corrective Action Plan". We did not audit the District's responses and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

This report is intended for the information of St. Martin Parish Hospital Service District No. 2, a component unit of the St. Martin Parish Government, State of Louisiana, and the Legislative Auditor of the State of Louisiana and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

We acknowledge with appreciation the courtesies extended our representatives during the audit.

Sincerely,

LANGLINARS BROUSSARD & KOHLENBERG

(A Corporation of Certified Public Accountants)

March 9, 2011

ST. MARTIN PARISH HOSPITAL SERVICE DISTRICT NO.2 BREAUX BRIDGE, LOUISIANA

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS AND MANAGEMENT'S CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2010

We have audited the financial statements of St. Martin Parish Hospital Service District No. 2, a component unit of the St. Martin Parish Government, State of Louisiana, as of and for the years ended September 30, 2010 and 2009, and have issued our report thereon dated March 9, 2011.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards of the United States and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and the provisions of OMB Circular A-133. Our audit of the financial statements as of September 30, 2010 and 2009, resulted in unqualified opinions.

Section I: Summary of Auditor's Reports

A. Report on Internal Control and Compliance Material to the Financial Statements:

Internal Control:

Material Weaknesses: Significant Deficiencies: Yes Yes

es:

Compliance:

Compliance Material to Financial Statements

No

Section II: Financial Statement Findings

A - Issues of Noncompliance

None noted.

B- Significant Deficiencies and Material Weaknesses

Finding 2010-1 Financial Statement Preparation

Condition and Criteria: The Hospital Service District (the District) relies on its outside auditors to assist in the preparation of external financial statements and related disclosures. Under U.S. generally accepted auditing standards, outside auditors cannot be considered part of the District's internal control structure, and, because of limitations of the District's accounting staff, the design of the District's internal control structure does not otherwise include procedures to prevent or detect a material misstatement in the external financial statements.

Effect: This represents a material weakness in the Hospital Service District's internal control system.

ST. MARTIN PARISH HOSPITAL SERVICE DISTRICT NO.2 BREAUX BRIDGE, LOUISIANA

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS AND MANAGEMENT'S CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2010

Finding 2010-1 Financial Statement Preparation (cont)

Recommendation: The Hospital Service District should continue outsourcing the preparation of its financials to its independent auditors and carefully review the draft financial statements and notes prior to approving them and accepting responsibility for their contents and presentation.

Management Response: The board chairman will make deposits and handle payables with the signature of another board member. The secretary/treasurer (CPA) will prepare the interim financial statements.

Finding 2010-2 Segregation of Duties

Condition and Criteria: The authorization, recording, and reconciling of transactions as well as the custody of assets related to those transactions are not adequately segregated.

Effect: This represents a material weakness in the Hospital Service District's internal control system.

Recommendation: The authorization, recording, and reconciliation of transactions and decisions as well as custody of assets related to those transactions should be segregated functions.

Management Response: The board chairman will deposit the monthly rent, annually pay the District's bond issue and loan debt, and pay general liability and property insurance premiums. The secretary/treasurer (CPA) will prepare the interim financial statements.

Section III: Management Letter Items

There are no management letter items at September 30, 2010.

ST.MARTIN PARISH HOSPITAL SERVICE DISTRICT NO. 2 BREAUX BRIDGE, LOUISIANA

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2010

Finding 2009-1 Background Checks

Criminal background checks are not performed upon the hiring of key employees.

Status: Resolved.

Finding 2009-2 Financial Statement Preparation

The Hospital Service District (the District) relies on its outside auditors to assist in the preparation of external financial statements and related disclosures. Under U.S. generally accepted auditing standards, outside auditors cannot be considered part of the District's internal control structure, and, because of limitations of the District's accounting staff, the design of the District's internal control structure does not otherwise include procedures to prevent or detect a material misstatement in the external financial statements.

Status: Unresolved. See Finding 2010-1.

Finding 2009-3 Segregation of Duties

There are several employees whose duties are not segregated.

Status: Unresolved. See Finding 2010-2.

Finding 2009-4 Vacations

Key employees are not required to take continuous vacations.

Status: Resolved.